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For: IMAGE INPUT APPARATUS, IMAGE)	
OUTPUT APPARATUS, IMAGE	:	
FORMING SYSTEM, CONTROL)	
METHOD OF IMAGE INPUT	:	
APPARATUS, CONTROL METHOD)	
OF IMAGE OUTPUT APPARATUS,	:	
PROGRAMS FOR EXECUTING THESE)	
METHODS, STORAGE MEDIUM FOR	:	
STORING PROGRAMS, IMAGE)	
PROCESSING SYSTEM, CONTROL	:	
METHOD OF IMAGE PROCESSING)	
SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR	:	
EXECUTING CONTROL METHOD)	July 9, 2008
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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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In response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2008, the term for responding to which having been extended to July 21, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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